OUR STORY THIS WEEK.

OLD DONNIE, THE SHEPHERD.

JEARS ago, in the North of Scotland, in that part of the Highland country where the people kept many sheep, lived a devoted shepherd. His name was Donald, and he was commonly cailed by those who knew him best "Old Donnie the shepherd."

He had spent all his life among the sheep, and though he was growing old, his friends could not persuade him to give up caring for them. He knew every one of them by name, and they seemed to love him so much that they would follow him wherever he went. "Old Donnie" was very careful of the lambs, and often he would carry the wee ones in

his arms up the steep, and over the rough places.

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One evening when the sheep were scattered all over the hillside, a terrible storm came on. As "Old Donnie" saw it coming he went to the top of the hill, and calling as loud as he could, gathered most of them into the fold. When he counted them he found that there were three lambs missing, and away he went over the hill after them. In one direction he could only find one, and he carried it back. The storm was increasing, the snow was fast drifting and filling the familiar paths, so that they were almost impassable. Away over another hill he went, until he found another of the missing lambs, and putting it on his shoulder he carried it safely back to the fold. "Only one more," the old shepherd said to himself, "and I'll have them all safe." It was dangerous for the old man to be out that night, he never should have gone that last time, but he loved the missing lamb, and on and on he went, but he never came back. The next morning they found his body almost buried in the snow. He had found the lamb, but had not strength to carry it back. The Good Shepherd giveth His life for the sheep.



OUR QUESTIONS THIS WEEK.

I. Where was Jesus crucified?

2. Who carried the cross?

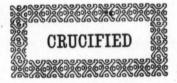
Who were crucified with him?
Why did He die? (Golden Text)

WE ARE LEARNING

ABOUT

JESUS OUR

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OUR PRAYER THIS WEEK.

Oh, Lord! I will make Jesus, who died for me, the loving Lord of my life.